

Illinois Health Facilities and Services Review Board

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Attn: Courtney Avery, Administrator

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Re: Letter of support for Premier Cardiac Surgery Center ( CON Project 17-058)

Dear Board Members,

My name is Dr. Robert Fliegelman. I am the Managing Partner of Metro Primary Care Associates in Crestwood. Our practice includes Internal Medicine, Neurology, Rheumatology, and Infectious Disease, and has served the Chicago Southland area since 1996.

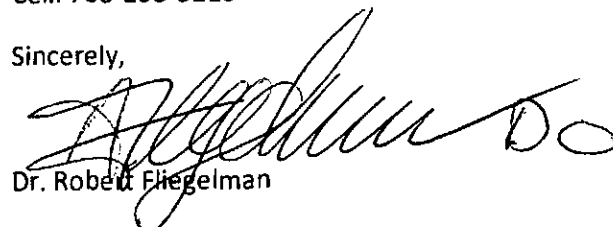
I am writing to express our support for the CON application submitted by Premier Cardiac Surgery Center. We ask the members of the State Board to approve this project to establish an ambulatory surgical treatment center in Merrionette Park, Illinois. This facility will offer an accessible, affordable alternative to the hospital based surgical facilities.

We have utmost confidence in the knowledge and skill of the HCCI Cardiology group. And we have been very happy with the care they have rendered our patients over the years.

We kindly request that you approve this application. We feel it is in the best interest for our patients and the Southside community. Please don't hesitate to call me with question.

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Sincerely,



Dr. Robert Fliegelman

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